## Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend Pages 5 and 6, as follows:

## BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

Fig. 1 is a perspective view of an inventive metallic stud.

Fig. 2 is a transverse cross-sectional view taken through Line 2-2 of Fig. 1.

Fig. 2A is a transverse cross-sectional view, similar to the view of Fig. 2, however, showing a second embodiment of the present invention.

Fig. 2B is a transverse cross sectional view, similar to the view of Fig. 2, however, showing a third embodiment of the inventive metallic stud.

Fig. 2C is a transverse cross-sectional view, similar to the view of Fig. 2, however, showing a further fourth embodiment of the metallic stud.

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Fig. 2D is a transverse cross-sectional view, similar to the view of Fig. 2, however, showing a further embodiment of the metallic stud.

Fig. 3 is a transverse cross-sectional view taken through Line 3-3 of Fig. 1.

Fig. 4 is an exploded view showing the stud frame of Fig. 1 in combination with upper and lower system framing elements.

Fig. 5 is an assembly view of the exploded view of Fig. 4.

Fig. 6 is a view, further to the view of Fig. 5, in which a concrete base of a resultant structure has been formed.

Fig. 7 is a fragmentary bottom horizontal sectional view of a resultant structure showing a xz plane tab of the inventive stud embedded within a poured concrete exterior wall.

Fig. 8 is a view, further to the view of Fig. 6, in which a concrete capstan of a resultant structure has been formed.

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Fig. 9 is a yz plane side view of Fig. 8.

Fig. 10 is a horizontal cross-sectional view of a wall of a structure, further to Figs. 6 to 7, showing the positioning of steel stud frame elements relative to a poured concrete wall, interior vertical poured concrete columns and interior plasterboard connected to a curved surface of the stud frame.

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